

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN

RICHARD SMITH AND RONALD SMITH,

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 2:11-cv-11253-GCS -MAR

v.

HON. GEORGE CARAM STEEH

HENRY R. LEWIS and  
VANTAGE TRAVEL SERVICE, INC.

Defendants.

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**ORDER REGARDING IMPOSITION OF MONETARY SANCTIONS**

On November 16, 2012, this Court ordered the imposition of reasonable attorney fees and costs as a sanction for Defendants' failure to abide by a previous Stipulated Court Order (Dkt. No. 41). Plaintiff's counsel submitted a bill of costs on November 28, 2012, indicating 11.1 hours at \$350/hour plus \$8.00 for parking for a total of \$3,885.00.

Taking into account the State Bar of Michigan's *2010 Economics of Law Practice Attorney Income and Billing Rate Summary Report*, available at <http://www.michbar.org/pmrc/articles/0000146.pdf>, this Court finds that a reasonable rate is \$225.00/hour and a reasonable time expended is 10 hours. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that **on or before January 8, 2013**, Defendants shall pay Plaintiffs \$2,250.00.

s/Mark A. Randon  
MARK A. RANDON  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated: December 6, 2012

Certificate of Service

*I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served on the parties of record on this date, December 6, 2012, electronically and a copy sent via first class mail.*

s/Melody R. Miles  
Case Manager to Magistrate Judge Mark A. Randon